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Chief, Signal Center

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Classified Message to CAIRO for KYRENIA

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Please transmit the following CONFIDENTIAL cable to:

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"Mr. [REDACTED]

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FOR [REDACTED]

FOREIGN BROADCAST INFORMATION SERVICE
MEDITERRANEAN BUREAU

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TO [REDACTED] FROM WHITE:

INFORMAL AGREEMENT PERMITS EGYPTIAN ENGINEERS SHARE USE OF CAIRO OUTPOST
IN EXCHANGE FOR CONTINUED FULL OPERATION WITHOUT INTERFERENCE. EXIT OF HEBREW
PERSONNEL AND SHIPMENT OF EQUIPMENT OR TEST RECORDINGS HOWEVER REMAINS BLOCKED. HAVE
REQUESTED [REDACTED] SEND YOU TEST RECORDINGS AND TRANSCRIPTS IN ALL LANGUAGES AND
HALL SHIP ONE WAX PLAYBACK MACHINE IF OPPORTUNITY ARISES. IF PLAYBACK APPEARS
UNOBTAINABLE WILL AIRSHIP FROM HERE.

IF EMERGENCY OPERATION REQUIRED LATER PLAN INITIAL COVERAGE OF ARABIC
AND HEBREW FROM NEAR EAST TRANSMITTERS ONLY, CO-ORDINATED CLOSELY WITH NBC COVERAGE,
USING TWO ARABIC AND TWO HEBREW MONITORS AND POSSIBLY ONE EDITOR LOANED FROM CAVERSHAM.

THIS COVERAGE SHOULD BE EXPANDED TO APPROACH PERMANENT SETUP AS RAPIDLY
AS CONSTRUCTION AND RECRUITMENT OR TRANSFER OF STAFF PERMIT. PLAN TO TRANSFER FROM
CAIRO ONLY FULLY COMPETENT LINGUISTS IN BACKGROUND, ENGLISH, TYPING AND OTHER SKILLS
BY STATESIDE STANDARDS. [REDACTED] HAS UNDERTAKEN TO EXPEDITE IN LONDON CLEARANCE THROUGH
PADDY IF NAMES AND DATA ARE FURNISHED. HAVE REQUESTED [REDACTED] TO FURNISH YOU AND THIS
OFFICE LIST OF SUCH LINGUISTS AND ANY OTHER HIGHLY DESIRABLE LOCAL EMPLOYEES. ON
RECEIPT OF LIST THIS OFFICE WILL INITIATE ACTION THROUGH FROST. YOU COORDINATE LOCALLY.

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☐ RECOMMENDS RECRUITMENT FOR CYPRUS IN LONDON, WITH TRAINING AT CAVERSHAM. HAVE CONCURRED PROVIDED ADMINISTRATIVE PROBLEMS SUCH AS WAGE SCALE AND AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION AND TEMPORARY DUTY CAVERSHAM CAN BE SOLVED, BUT YOU SHOULD NOT RELAX EFFORTS TO RECRUIT IN NEAR EAST. EARLIEST POSSIBLE ACTIVATION OF STATION IS DESIRED."

L. K. WHITE

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